

ADULT MINISTRY

GMC GENERAL CONFERENCE

The Convening General Conference of the Global Methodist Church will be held September 20th-26th, in San Jose, Costa Rica. This first worldwide gathering will help shape our denomination. Our own Rev. Dr. Jim Genesse and Rev. Dr. Andy Miller are part of the delegation representing the Mississippi-West Tennessee Annual Conference. Join them in prayer using the following 12-day prayer guide.



Go to www.sotheworldwillknow.org for more information and to find the link to watch the General Conference online.

SINGLE FRIENDS GROUP ACTIVITIES

(9-19) Thursday: Pizza Shack - Madison - 6:00 p.m.

(9-26) Thursday: Bulldog Burgers - Ridgeland - 6:00 p.m.

Please let us know if you are coming so we can save you a seat!

If you have any questions, please contact Afton Pike at 720-220-5171 or Alison Richardson at 601-842-3300.

MISSIONS

Missions Fair

Today we will host a Missions Fair in the Christian Life Center from 8:45-11:15 a.m. We will highlight 30 different ways to serve God in Madison, the Metro, Mississippi, and More. Come see the many ways the lay people of our church are serving and learn how to get involved!

Center For Pregnancy Choices Diaper Drive:

Let's help young mothers, who chose life through the Center for Pregnancy Choices by donating diapers (preferably sizes 2 and up) as well as wipes, baby shampoo, and baby lotion. You can bring your donations to the Fellowship Hall at the church during the month of September. Place in the designated box marked for the CPC, and Katie Williams will deliver to CPC as needed. For any additional questions about donations, please contact Katie Williams at (601) 540-3617.

SAVE THE DATE

What: Delta Grace Mission Trip

When: Saturday, November 9th

(6:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.)

All skill levels are invited, and all are needed. Whether you can use power tools, carry supplies, help clean up, make lunch or fellowship with the property residents, there is a place for all volunteers.

The church will get you there and back and lunch is provided.

For more information, contact Matthew Thompson wmatthewt@gmail.com or Steve Potter steve@madisonmc.org.

MADISON TRUCK CLUB

All men are invited to the next Truck Club Bible Study on September 19th at 7:30 p.m. We meet every first & third Thursday of the month at 224 Waterford Square, Madison. Bring a chair & a Bible. No truck required!

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Presented for baptism today is Hopson Wayne House, son of Thomas & Lori Beth House, born November 20th, 2023. Big brother is Bryant House, grandparents are Jeanie & Mickey Watkins, and aunt is Mandy Woodward.

We offer our sympathy to the family of:

Christy Allen, niece of Becky Allen, who died September 8th.

We rejoice at new births:

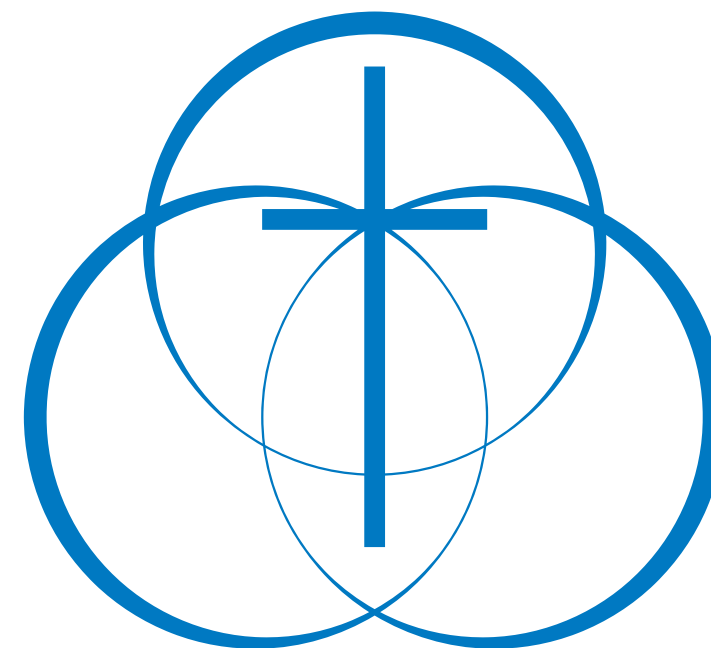
Grace Helen Graham, daughter of Ashley & Josh Graham, was born September 6th. She is the grandchild of Angela Robertson.

SERMON NOTES

(John 17: 1-13)

MADISON METHODIST CHURCH

Madison, Mississippi



September 15, 2024

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"Building faithful disciples, serving Jesus Christ"

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

September 15, 2024

Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *Lead On, O King Eternal* arr. Thygerson

HYMN *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* 8

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *The Apostles' Creed*

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

GLORIA PATRI
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, And to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen, Amen.

CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM (8:30 A.M.) Hopson Wayne House
Hopson Hopson, God claims you, God helps you, protects you, and loves you too. We this day do all agree a child of God you'll always be. Hopson Hopson, God claims you, God helps you, protects you, and loves you too. We are here to say this day that we will help you on your way. Hopson Hopson, God claims you, God helps you, protects you, and loves you too.

MORNING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

CHORAL WORSHIP *Awake A Joyful Song* M. Ware

GREETING

A TIME MOSTLY FOR CHILDREN
The B-I-B-L-E, yes, that's the book for me. I stand alone on the Word of God, the B-I-B-L-E!

OFFERTORY Maddie & Haley Gall

DOXOLOGY
Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING John 17:1-13

HYMN OF PREPARATION *Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus* 670

SERMON

HYMN OF RESPONSE *I Am A Soldier On A Cross* 600

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*** Seating of additional worshipers



Senior Pastor Rev. Barry Male

Associate Pastor Rev. Robert McCormick

Administrative Pastor Rev. Jim Genesse

Pastor of Congregational Care Rev. Linda Rickman

Pastor of Student Ministry Rev. Cory Phillips

Director of Kids Ministry Renee Scales

Director of Music Ministry Lori Blount

Director of Outreach Ministry Steve Potter

Organist Rosemary McInnis

Pianist Donna Banks

Acolytes (8:30 a.m.) Colton Johnson & Ann Kirk Godfrey

Acolytes (10:45 a.m.) Claire Guynes & Elle Nabors

BIBLE TIME VOLUNTEERS:

8:30 a.m. Channing & Josh Hancock & Chad & Jennifer Rawson

10:45 a.m. Katie & Josh Crump & Jerrod & Carrie Rayburn



WELCOME GUESTS!

We would love an opportunity to get introduced personally!
Scan the QR code below to access an online Connection Card. Please share your name, best contact info, and any areas of the life and ministry of MMC you want to know more about. Then SUBMIT the form, and we will follow up with you in the coming week.

STUDENT MINISTRY

Contact Cory Phillips (cory@madisonmc.org)

Join us tonight from 6:00-8:00 p.m. for our Game Night! We will be meeting at the Madison Central football field.

KIDS MINISTRY

Contact Renee Scales (renee@madisonmc.org)

Confirmation

Confirmands (our 6th graders), we will meet at 9:45 a.m. for Sunday School in Room 304 on the Kids Hall. Confirmands & mentors, we will meet on Sunday night, September 15th at 6:00 p.m. in the CLC. Please bring a Bible and folder! Don't forget to let Ms. Renee know if you are going to miss.

SAVE THE DATE

September 23rd Kids Ministry Leadership Team Meeting 6:00 p.m. in ACR (Church Office).
November 10th Confirmation Sunday for 6th graders
December 11th Kids & Sonbeam Choirs Christmas Music Program at 6:15 p.m.

WEDNESDAYS AT MADISON

Join us for food and fellowship starting at 5:15 p.m. in the CLC. Please use the link or QR code to sign up for meals. Adults \$8 / Children \$5, with a family cap of \$26. You can pay online when you sign up or at the door with cash, check, credit card or Venmo. Please sign up by Tuesdays at 12:00 p.m. each week.



- 5:15-6:00 pm -- Food & Fellowship in the Christian Life Center ("Gym")
- 5:45-6:10 pm -- Kids Play or Kids Music (1st-6th graders)
- 6:00-7:00 pm -- Adult Small Group/Discipleship Group time
- 6:15-7:00 pm -- Programming for kids, students, and adults
- 7:05-8:30 pm -- Chancel Choir practice

Fall 2024 Studies

Pastor Bible Studies:

- Rev. Bary Male (Sanctuary) All ages / Study: I & II Samuel.
- Rev. Robert McCormick (Room 201) All ages / Abiding with Jesus.

Small Groups:

- Women's Group (Room 118) All ages / Study: Untangle Your Emotions by Jennie Allen.
- Singles and Couples Group (Room 208) Ages: 30-45 / Study: Habits of the Household by Justin Earley.
- Life After Loss Main Group (Room 122) Ages: 45-80 / Study: Guest speakers, support groups / Dates: 1st & 3rd Wednesdays.

September 18 Adult Meal

Beef & Rice Stuffed Peppers, Ranch Chicken Thighs, Caprese Asparagus, Caramelized Lemon & Zucchini Pasta, Green Beans with Bacon & Onions, Super Salad Bar

Desserts

Italian Cream Cake, Key Lime Pie, Triple Chocolate Bundt Cake, Sugar Free Gluten Free Key Lime Bars

Kids Meal

Crescent Cheese Dogs, Oven Baked Waffle Fries, Green Beans, Vanilla Cupcakes